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 Subject: Re: Fw: SSMAC 082609 AGENDA & attachments
 Date: 08/26/2009 12:16 PM

Folks --

I'm not going to attend this meeting. I think that Craig dealt with the short-term issue of our attendance and the other issue, the status of the TASC, with his Monday e-mail.

-- Dave

▼ Craig Cooper---08/24/2009 11:47:54 AM---David - I think you or I need to inform Daniel Wiseman that EPA is not prepared to discuss the topic

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David -

I think you or I need to inform Daniel Wiseman that EPA is not prepared to discuss the topic of "TASC at SSFL" at SSMAC or any other public forum and therefore we would appreciate if TASC was removed from this SSMAC meeting agenda. We should tell him that at some point in the future EPA will make an announcement on this topic but we are simply not prepared to talk about this right now.

re: We had our general public TASC Information Session in late May in Chatsworth that was well attended. This SSMAC agenda item unfortunately makes it appear that SSMAC alone has already received TASC assistance and will likely further enflame disunity that exists around TASC at SSFL.

Although I will be working at the site on Aug 25-27, I do not plan attend this SSMAC meeting especially with TASC potentially on the agenda. Are you planning to attend this SSMAC meeting?

I think we need to communicate this to Mr. Wiseman ASAP. If Mr. Wiseman wishes to persist with this agenda item, then we will have to let Mr. Wiseman know that no one at EPA is prepared to speak on this topic and therefore will not be in attendance at this meeting.

Craig

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To the WHNC Board Members, SSMAC Members and participants:

Here is a DRAFT AGENDA, two sets of MINUTES and several other attachments important to the August 26th SSMAC Meeting.

Please take the time to DOWNLOAD and READ the MINUTES and ATTACHMENTS.

They include important materials which we will be discussing and (perhaps) modifying for APPROVAL/REJECTION.

Thank you,

Daniel Wiseman
SSMAC Chair

The WEST HILLS NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL's
SANTA SUSANA MOUNTAIN AREA COMMITTEE
AGENDA (draft: 08/20/09)
WEDNESDAY, August 26, 2009 @ 7:00 p.m.

at the Fairwinds Retirement Center,

8138 Woodlake Ave, West Hills

(the South east corner of Roscoe and Woodlake – enter from Woodlake)
DEFINITION of SSMAC & CONDUCT OF SSMAC MEETINGS: Revised:
04/18/09

The SSMAC is a Standing Committee of the Los Angeles City Chartered West Hills Neighborhood Council (WHNC).

We are a gathering of WHNC Stakeholders, that is; anyone who lives works, owns property and/or has a declared interest in West Hills.

This Committee has as its policy to **Engage ALL interested parties**, including:

- (1) All WHNC Stakeholders**
- (2) City, State & Federal Regulatory Agencies**
- (3) Other City, County, State & Federal Agencies & Organizations**
- (4) Current & potential Owners, Operators and Staff Members of the the properties of Concern (most of whom who are, by definition, WHNC Stakeholders, anyway)**
- (5) Environmental Activists**
- (6) Health and Environmental Experts**

As with any **Official Government Organization** in the State of California, we are bound by the Ralph M. Brown Act. **Public Comment**, the **Participation** of all interested parties and involved government agencies and **Preparation** for our meetings is actively encouraged.

We come together to learn about, to share our experiences, to discuss and to develop NC-related recommendations regarding the environmental conditions of our NC's neighborhood and all sides of the Santa Susana Mountain .

On approval by the membership, we may address public health concerns in the WHNC area.

We welcome and will consider all opinions but have a zero-tolerance for unseemly behaviors, foul language, and personal attacks in our meetings and in our dealings with others.

1. **CALL TO ORDER** and **SELF-INTRODUCTION OF PARTICIPANTS** with **BRIEF**

elaboration of recent activities, conferences, meetings or communications of interest.

a. ROSTER OF MEMBERS

Joanne Yvanek-Garb	Albert Saur	Dan Brin
Alec Uzemeck	John Luker	Charlene
Rothstein		
Bob Brostoff	Wally Perfect	Jack Unger
Chris Rowe	Adam Salkin	Daniel Wiseman

- **Discussion & Possible ACTION**: ACCEPTANCE of ADDITIONAL MEMBERS

- **Discussion & Possible ACTION**: ELECTION of a VICE CHAIR and other
SSMAC OFFICERS

b. PARTICIPANTS:

c. SPECIAL GUESTS:

2. **REVIEW & APPROVAL of the AGENDA and APPROVAL of the June 2009 and July 2009 Minutes**
3. **CHAIRPERSON's COMMENTS:**

a. We presented a plaque in appreciation to our hosts the Fairwinds Retirement Center
at the last WHNC Meeting (August 5, 2009)

b. The Recommendations of the SSMAC were presented to WHNC and PASSED:

- Structure & Operations of SSMAC
- Implementation of Federal EPA "TASC" and California EPA "EEI" educative materials.
- Support for the SSMPA Amendments to AB102 (Smyth)

4. **FIRST PUBLIC COMMENT on matters not on this agenda – 10 minutes.**

5. **Introduction of the Federal EPA (TASC) and the California EPA (EEI) educational programs (handouts). QUESTION FOR THE PARTICIPANTS: Which presentations would you like to hear?**

6. **Current Status of Corporate Pointe – The Zone Change request of MEPT (represented by Trammel-Crowe & JMBM) was approved by City Council (CF #09-1510) on 08-07-09.**

- a. **Open – for discussion**
- b.
- c.

7. **Current Status of SSFL**

a. Progress toward a Consent Understanding was announced by Maziar Movassashi
(MMovassa@dtsc.ca.gov) with the replacement of Norm Riley by Rick Brausch
(rbrausch@dtsc.ca.gov).

A conversation with Mr. Brausch indicates that the DRAFT

CONSENT ORDER has not been signed by anyone. It may be found at dtsc-ssfl.com

or dtsc.ca.gov (under "What's New"). It has tacit approval from NASA and DOE but

not Boeing. It is presented for discussion purposes only:

- **Open – for discussion**

- Position of DTSC:
- Position of LARWQCB:
- Position of DOE:
- Position of NASA:
- Position of BOEING:
- POSSIBLE ACTION: Approval/Rejection/Modification
- POSSIBLE ACTION: Creation of Response Letter (see DRAFT #1, below)

b. The Federal Department of Energy (DOE) has presented plans in its latest newsletter,

http://www.etec.energy.gov/Cleanup/CleanUpdate/SSFL_CleanUpdateAug09.pdf,
to

describe its \$ 40 million [RadioActivity Survey](#) for “their” Area IV. In addition there is to be

a [BIOLOGICAL Survey](#) to identify vulnerable and protected species plus a [CULTURAL Survey](#) to describe the Native American (Chumash) and Scientific (SSFL-related) facilities in the area.

- POSSIBLE ACTION: Creation of Response Letter (see DRAFT #2, below)

9. **SECOND PUBLIC COMMENT – time permitting**

10. **Final Remarks, Announcements and Suggestions for future Meetings**

11. **Adjournment**